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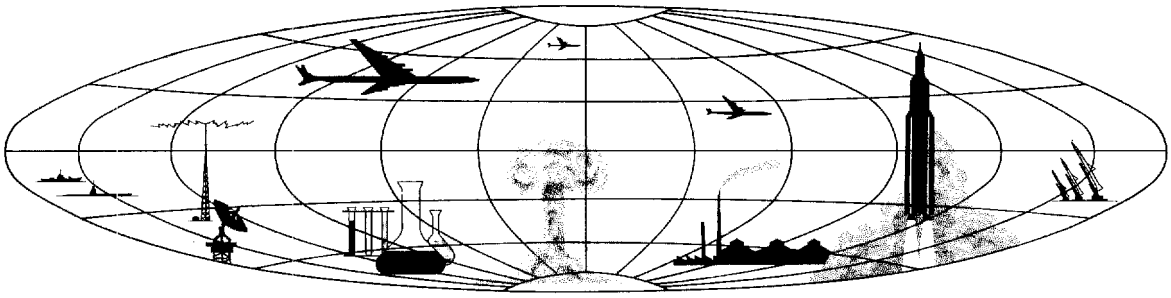

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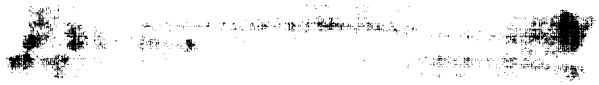

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PREFACE

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM GOLDEN TREE MISSION 3844, DATED 21 FEB 1964. THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE END OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

SYMBOLS USED TO INDICATE CONDITIONS WHICH AFFECT THE APPEARANCE OF THE TARGET ON THE PHOTOGRAPHY ARE AS FOLLOWS -- C (CLEAR), SC (SCATTERED CLOUDS), HC (HEAVY CLOUDS), H (HAZE), CS (CLOUD SHADOW), SD (SEMIDARKNESS), O (OBLIQUITY), PQ (POOR IMAGE QUALITY).

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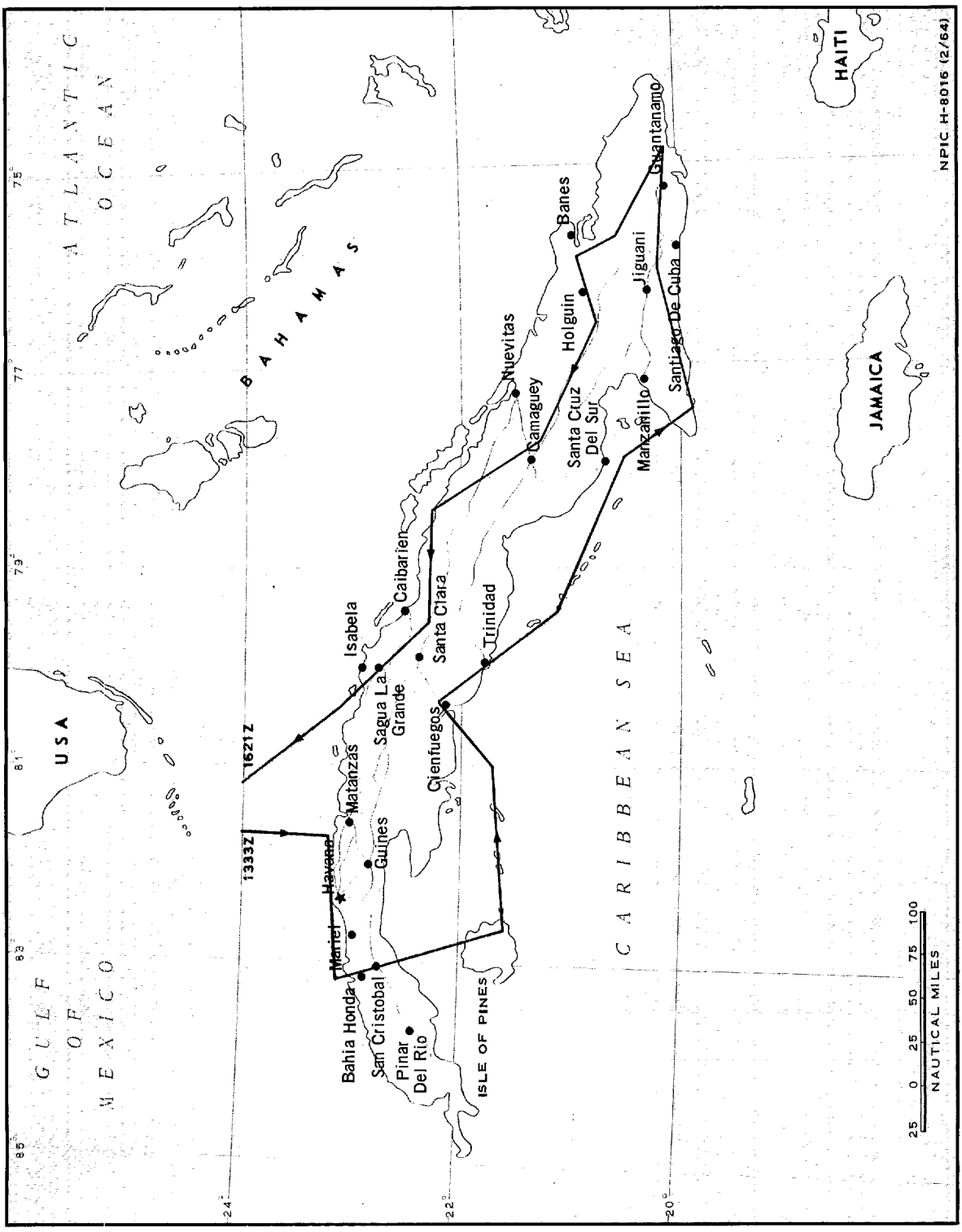

APPROXIMATE TRACK OF GOLDEN TREE MISSION 3844, 21 FEBRUARY 1964

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ITEM OF INTEREST

HEAVY CLOUDS PREVAILED THROUGHOUT THE MISSION. THE GUANTANAMO SEARCH AREA AND THE PORTS OF HAVANA, MARIEL, AND CABANAS WERE CLOUD COVERED.

25X1

MISSILES

SAGUA LA GRANDE SAM SITE 2251N 08005W

SIX REVETTED LAUNCHERS (3 CANVAS-COVERED), ONE MISSILE ON TRANSPORTER ADJACENT TO A LAUNCHER, ONE CANVAS-COVERED HOLD AREA, ONE TRACKED PRIME MOVER, ONE CARGO TRUCK, ONE TRUCK-MOUNTED CRANE, NUMEROUS CANVAS-COVERED VEHICLES, AND A GUIDANCE REVETMENT WITH RADAR, 4 VANS AND CANVAS-COVERED EQUIPMENT. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

25X1 [redacted]

MAJANA SAM SITE 2241N 08249W

SIX UNREVETTED LAUNCHERS (3 CANVAS-COVERED), AND AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE AREA OBSERVED.

25X1 [redacted]

AIR FACILITIES

CAMILO CIENFUEGOS AIRFIELD 2229N 07955W

AIRCRAFT -- 8 FAGOT/FRESCO AND 5 HOUND.

25X1 [redacted]

CAMAGUEY INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD 2125N 07750W

AIRCRAFT -- 2 CRATE AND ONE LIAISON OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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COLONEL MARTIN MARRERRO AIRFIELD 2150N 08246W

NO AIRCRAFT OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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JAIME GONZALES AIRFIELD 2209N 08024W

AIRCRAFT -- ONE CRATE OBSERVED.

25X1

TRINIDAD AIRFIELD 2147N 07959W

NO AIRCRAFT OBSERVED.

25X1

NAVAL ACTIVITY/PORTS

CIENFUEGOS NAVAL BASE 2208N 08027W

VESSELS -- 2 KRONSHTADT-CLASS PC AT ANCHOR, 4 P-6 MTB (2 ON MARINE RAILWAY) AND 5 LARGE FREIGHTERS.

25X1

PUNTA ALEGRE PORT 2223N 07846W

NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

25X1

MANZANILLO PORT 2021N 07707W

NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED.

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SANTIAGO DE CUBA PORT AND NAVAL BASE 2001N 07550W

VESSELS -- 2 LARGE FREIGHTERS, ONE LARGE TANKER, AND

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ONE COASTAL FREIGHTER OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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LA ISABELA PORT 2256N Ø8ØØØW

VESSELS -- ONE LARGE FREIGHTER.

25X1 [redacted]

CASILDA PORT 2145N Ø7959W

VESSELS -- ONE LARGE TANKER OBSERVED.

25X1 [redacted]

MILITARY ACTIVITY

CAYO LARGO MILITARY AREA 2137N Ø8133W

NO AIRCRAFT OR ACTIVITY OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

25X1 [redacted]

CAMPO FLORIDO MILITARY CAMP 23Ø7N Ø82Ø6W

THIRTY TANKS/SP GUNS AND AT LEAST 17 OTHER VEHICLES OBSERVED.

25X1 [redacted]

JURAGUA MILITARY ACTIVITY 22Ø9N Ø8Ø35W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
THIRTEEN CARGO TRUCKS AND 15 FA PIECES OBSERVED.

25X1 [redacted]

TRINIDAD AREA POSS MIL HEADQUARTERS 2150N Ø7953W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
TEN CARGO TRUCKS AND 15 FA PIECES OBSERVED.

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ANTON RECIO MILITARY INSTALLATION 2211N Ø8Ø36W

FIFTEEN PROBABLE TANK/SP GUNS AND 9 OTHER VEHICLES OBSERVED.

25X1 [redacted]

JAGUA MILITARY AREA 2205N Ø8Ø29W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
EIGHTEEN CARGO TRUCKS OBSERVED.

25X1 [redacted]

CIENFUEGOS LANDING BEACH 2202N Ø8Ø36W

NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

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OTHER ACTIVITY

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-STATUS OF OTHER TARGETS OBSERVED-

25X1

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS SHOW NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE LAST COVERAGE--

SAN CRISTOBAL MRBM SITE 3	2242N 08308W	
SURGIDERO DE BATABANO PORT	2241N 08217W	
SAN JOSE DE LAS LAJAS CAMP AND DEPOT	2255N 08210W	
TARARA LANDING BEACH	2310N 08212W	

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT NOT INTERPRETED--

LA SALUD SAM SITE	2253N 08224W	
GUARA SAM SITE	2248N 08213W	
SAN ANTONIO DE LOS BANOS AIRFIELD	2252N 08230W	
MANZANILLO MILITARY CAMP	2017N 07707W	
ARTEMISA MILITARY CAMP	2250N 08248W	
REMEDIOS MILITARY AREA	2227N 07935W	
SANTA CLARA MILITARY CAMP CUBANACAN	2224N 07952W	

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